

STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW

Applicant thanks Examiner Chowdhury for conducting a telephonic interview with Applicant's attorney, Jeffrey Valley, on February 5, 2009.

In the interview, the differences between the cited references and the claimed subject matter were discussed. In the interest of expediting allowance of the subject application, and without conceding the propriety of the rejections, proposed claim amendments were submitted and discussed during the interview.

Examiner Chowdhury agreed that the proposed claim amendments appeared to overcome the cited art. Accordingly, the claims have been amended to incorporate the changes discussed during the interview. Applicant submits that the claims are in condition for allowance.

Applicant thanks Examiner Chowdhury for her time in discussing the application and helping to advance prosecution.